Medicare Operations of the SMI Trust Fund Selected Fiscal Years

		Incom	ie		Disbursements			Trust Fund	
	Premiums	Government	Interest			Adminis-	Total	Net	Fund
Fiscal	from	Contribu-	and Other	Total	Benefit	trative	Disburse-	Increase	at End
Year 1	Participants	tions ²	Income ³	Income	Payments	Expenses	ments	in Fund	of Year 4
				Ar	mount in millions				
1967	\$647	\$623	\$15	\$1,285	\$664	\$135 ⁵	\$799	\$486	\$486
1970	936	928	12	1,876	1,979	217	2,196	-321	57
1975	1,887	2,330	105	4,322	3,765	405	4,170	152	1,424
1980	2,928	6,932	415	10,275	10,144	593	10,737	-462	4,532
1985	5,524	17,898	1,155	24,577	21,808	922	22,730	1,847	10,646
1990	11,494 °	33,210 °	1,434 6	46,138 ^b	41,498	1,524 °	43,022 6	3,115 °	14,527
1995	19,244	36,988 ′	1,937	58,169	63,491	1,722	65,213	-7,045	13,874
1996	18,931	61,702 ′	1,392	82,025	67,176	1,771	68,946	13,079	26,953
1997	19,141	59,471	2,193	80,806	71,133	1,420	72,553	8,253	35,206
1998	19,427	59,919	2,608	81,955	74,837 ⁸	1,435	76,272	5,683	40,889
1999	20,160	62,185	2,933	85,278	79,008 ⁸	1,510	80,518	4,760	45,649
2000	20,515	65,561	3,164	89,239	87,212 ⁸	1,780	88,992	247	45,896
2001	22,307	69,838	3,191	95,336	97,466 ⁸	1,986	99,452	-4,116	41,780
2002	24,427	78,318	2,960	105,705	106,995 ⁸	1,830	108,825	-3,121	38,659

¹ Fiscal years 1975 and earlier consist of the 12 months ending on June 30 of each year; fiscal years 1980 and later consist of the 12 months ending o September 30 of each year.

NOTE: Totals do not necessarily equal the sum of rounded components

SOURCE: CMS/OACT November 2003

² The payments shown as being from the general fund of the Treasury include certain interest-adjustment item:

⁵ Other income includes recoveries of amounts reimbursed from the trust fund that are not obligations of the trust fund and other miscellaneous incom

⁴ The financial status of the program depends on both the total net assets and the liabilities of the program

⁵ Administrative expenses shown include those paid in fiscal years 1966 and 1967

^b Includes the impact of the Medicare Catastrophic Coverage Act of 1988 (P.L. 100-360)

General fund transfers of \$6.7 billion could not be made in FY 1995 due to the absence of funding. Subsequently, a transfer was made in March 1996 Consequently, SMI government contributions are abnormally low for FY 1995 and abnormally high for FY 1996.

Benefit payments less monies transferred from the HI trust fund for home health agency costs, as provided by P.L. 105-33